



Patent Attorney's Docket No. <u>015200-054</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Pate	nt Application of					
AMMON et al.		JUN 3 1999				
Application No.: 09/011,977		Group Art Unit: 1623 MATRIX CONTINUES SERVICE CENTER				
Filed: June 15, 1988		Examiner: H. Owens, Jr.				
DEI NO LEI	E OF BOSWELLIC ACID AND ITS RIVATIVES FOR INHIBITING RMAL AND INCREASED UCOCYTIC ELASTASE OR ASMIN ACTIVITY					
	REPLY AND AMENDMENT	TRANSMITTAL LETTER				
	Commissioner for Patents on, D.C. 20231					
Sir:						
Enclo	osed is a Reply and Amendment for the abo	ove-identified patent application.				
[X]	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.					
[X]	Also enclosed are two (2) references (Hasan Safayhi et al., and G.B. Singh et al.)					
[]	statement(s) claiming small entity status [] are also enclosed [] were submitted previously.					
[]	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.					
[X]	No additional claim fee is required.					
[]	An additional claim fee is required, and is	s calculated as shown below:				

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AMENDED CLAIMS							
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDT'L FEE		
Total Claims	7	MINUS 20 =	0	x \$18.00 =	-0-		
Independent Claims	1	MINUS 3 =	0	x \$78.00 =	- 0-		
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$260.00							
Total Amendment Fee							
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					N/A		
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT							

L	J	A claim fee in th	e amount of \$	is enclosed
[]	Charge \$	to Deposit Accoun	t No. 02-4800.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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